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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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9 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

10 MARC WOLSTENHOLME,
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12 Plaintiff,
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14 vs.
15 RIOT GAMES, INC.,
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17 Defendant

CASE NO. 2:25-CV-00053-FMO-BFM
HON. FERNANDO M. OLGUIN

[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING
PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO COMPEL
DISCOVERY

Dated this: 05 FEBRUARY 2025

1 Having considered Plaintiff Marc Wolstenholme's Motion to Compel Discovery
2 Pursuant to Rule 37, the supporting materials filed therewith, and any arguments presented by
3 the parties, the Court hereby ORDERS as follows:
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6 Motion to Compel Discovery: Plaintiff's Motion to Compel Discovery is
7 GRANTED. Defendant Riot Games, Inc. is directed to produce the following documents and
8 information within 14 days of this Order:
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10 All internal communications (emails, Slack messages, meeting notes) related to
11 the development of Arcane.
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13 All financial records detailing profits, revenues, and expenditures related to
14 Arcane and related media.
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16 All correspondence with third-party entities, including Netflix, Curtis Brown
17 Group, and United Talent Agency, related to Arcane.
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19 Development timelines, scripts, storyboards, and concept art for Arcane.
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21 Copies of all contracts, NDAs, and agreements involving Arcane voice actors and
22 production staff.
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1 Confirmation of Evidence Preservation: Defendant Riot Games, Inc. is directed to
2 confirm in writing within 14 days that all relevant documents and communications, including
3 those of Christian Linke, have been preserved. If any documents or communications are no
4 longer available, Defendant must provide an explanation detailing the reasons for their
5 unavailability.
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8 Denial of Discovery Bifurcation: Defendant's request to bifurcate discovery is
9 DENIED. Discovery shall proceed concurrently on all issues, including access, substantial
10 similarity, and damages.
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13 Sanctions (if Applicable): The Court finds that Defendant's delays and refusal to
14 comply with discovery obligations warrant sanctions. Defendant is ordered to pay reasonable
15 attorney's fees and costs incurred by Plaintiff in preparing this motion. Plaintiff is instructed to
16 submit a declaration itemising these costs within 7 days of this Order.
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19 Future Compliance: Defendant is cautioned that further non-compliance with
20 discovery obligations may result in additional sanctions, including but not limited to evidentiary
21 sanctions or adverse inference instructions.
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IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: _____

Hon. Fernando M. Olguin

United States District Judge